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| In re the Patent Application of:  | Group Art Unit: 1644               |
| Applicant: Defu Zeng, et al.  | Confirmation No.: 3043             |
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| Title: Methods for Inhibition of Polyclonal B Cell Activation and Immunoglobulin Class Switching to Pathogenic Autoantibodies by Blocking CDI-Mediated Interactions |                                    |

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**STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW**

Sir:

Applicants thank Examiner DiBrino for her courtesy in granting the Applicants a personal interview on July 16, 2007 in connection with the above-referenced application.

During the interview, Applicants' representative and Examiner DiBrino discussed the art references and prior art arguments. Agreement with respect to the claims was not reached.

Statement of the Substance of the Interview of July 16, 2007  
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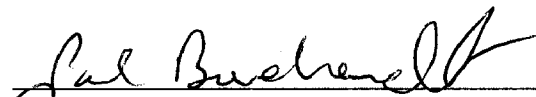
Applicants do not believe that any fees are due in connection with this communication. If, however, any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including petition fees and extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 23-2415 (Docket No. 31580-702.201).

Respectfully submitted,

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